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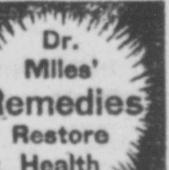
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### BATTLE SCARRED TEXAS

Arrives From Cuba at Brooklyn Navy yard For an Overhauling.

New York, Aug. 1.—Back from the coast of Cuba, battle scarred and powder-stained and punctured in spots, with her formidable guns bristling in the sunlight and her officers and crew laughing and cheering like schoolboys on a holiday trip, the United States battle

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Washington, Aug. 1.—General Miles, in command of the Porto Rican expedition has sent the following dispatch to Secretary Alger, which is made public by the war department:

"Your telegrams received and answered by letter. Volunteers are surrendering themselves, with arms and ammunition. Four-fifths of the people are overjoyed at the arrival of the army. Two thousand from one place have volunteered to serve with it. They are bringing in transportation, beef, cattle and other needed supplies. The customhouse has already yielded \$14,000. As soon as all the troops are disembarked they will be in readiness to move."

"Please send any national colors that can be spared to be given to the different municipalities."

"I request that the question of the tariff rate to be charged in the ports of Porto Rico occupied by our forces be submitted to the president for his action, the previous existing tariff remaining meanwhile in force."

"As to the government and military occupation, I have already given instructions based upon the instructions issued by the president in the case of the Philippine islands and similar to those issued at Santiago de Cuba."

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

Spain's Answer Not Expected Until Tomorrow.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The persons best informed as to the probabilities declare that the answer of the Spanish government to the terms of peace outlined by the government of the United States is not expected before tomorrow. This opinion is based upon a knowledge of the time when the United States communication was received in Madrid, which was not until yesterday, the time required to decipher it, the necessity for detention without designating it.

matter by the Spanish cabinet, and also the necessity for carefully framing the rejoinder. It is not meant by this statement to question in any manner the full plenipotentiary powers of M. Cambon, the French ambassador, in dealing with the subject.

On the contrary they are in latitude wider than those usually conferred in such cases. But his position is somewhat similar to that of the president himself, who is obliged to secure the sanction of the United States senate to any treaty of peace that he may propose, for the ambassador must submit to the Madrid cabinet for its approval any agreement that he may enter into. But in the drafting of such an agreement he was fully authorized to proceed in his discretion, and to guard against any possibility of repudiation of his action he was given the minutest definition of the concessions that will be made by the Spanish government on every point that by any possibility could be expected to arise in the course of the negotiations.

Dealing Directly With Spain.

It was not known to our government that M. Cambon had such powers when he appeared Saturday afternoon at the white house to receive the American answer, but once the president was satisfied that he was competent to deal in an authorized manner with our government, the production of his credentials was hailed with satisfaction, as tending to hasten the reaching of an agreement without loss of time and in the most direct manner, for technically the United States is now treating with Spain without the intervention of any third power.

It may be said also that M. Cambon is proceeding with straightforwardness toward his object, and that there is no fear of devious diplomacy being introduced into the negotiations.

The progress made in the negotiations has given rise in some quarters to an expectation that hostilities are to be suspended very soon. This will depend entirely upon the attitude of the Spanish government and the nature of its answer to our demands.

To Reinforce Miles.

As an earnest that our government has not interrupted the execution of its campaigns an order was issued from the war department yesterday for the dispatch of an entire army division to reinforce Generals Miles and Brooke in Porto Rico. This will be known as the provisional division and will be commanded by Major General Wade, at present in command at Camp Thomas, Chickamauga. He is ordered to turn over that command to Major General Breckinridge, inspector general of the army, and to report to Secretary Alger in Washington for instructions before departing for Porto Rico, bringing with him his adjutant general and his aides.

The provisional division will consist of 15 full regiments and General Wade will select them, not from the troops under his command alone, but with particular reference to an equitable representation in the Porto Rican campaign of all of the states in the Union.

Unjust Criticism.

Secretary Alger feels that his department has been subjected to some unjust criticism upon the selection of troops for active service and pronounces as without foundation the allegation that politics have dictated the assignments. In the case of the Fifth Illinois volunteer regiment, which was withdrawn from the Porto Rican expedition in favor of the Indiana regiment, it has been already explained by authority that the change was made in recognition of the justness of the complaint that Illinois already had two regiments in active service while Indiana had not one. Even in that case, however, Secretary Alger did not make the selection of the regiment to be held back, he simply instructed the general commanding the expedition to select one Illinois regiment for detention without designating it.

SURPRISE AT CHICKAMAUGA.

General J. F. Wade and Staff Ordered to Washington.

Chickamauga, Ga., Aug. 1.—A genuine surprise was sprung at Camp Thomas last evening. Instead of further troops being ordered out, as might have been expected, Major General James F. Wade, commanding the army at Camp Thomas, was ordered to report forthwith to the secretary of war at Washington.

In compliance with the order, General Wade and his staff proceeded immediately to Chattanooga and left last night for Washington.

There was no inkling at Camp Thomas as to the purpose of the order, but it was pretty generally interpreted to mean something like what the press reports from Washington later outlined, and for this reason the order had the effect to arouse new hopes among the troops, and especially among those of the Third corps, who had about come to think they would not be called for in the present war. General Wade and staff will reach Washington sometime this afternoon.

Brigadier General Royal T. Frank, U. S. V., commanding the First division of the Third corps, assumed command at Camp Thomas, which position he will hold until General Wade returns.

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New York, Aug. 1.—Back from the coast of Cuba, battle scarred and powder-stained and punctured in spots, with her formidable guns bristling in the sunlight and her officers and crew laughing and cheering like schoolboys on a holiday trip, the United States battle

which has been fitted for Aug. 7.

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## MILES IN PORTO RICO

Welcomed by the Populace at Yauco With an Address.

## AMERICAN FLAG CHEERED

When Hauled Up Over the Palace by Major Webb Hayes.

## WAITING FOR TROOPS

Miles Hears of the Peace News, but Says He Will Push on and Take San Juan. Spanish Volunteers Deserting and Surrendering to Americans — Natives Desire For Revenge Is Checked by General Wilson When They Began Looting Spanish Residences — Political Prisoners Released.

The foreign warships in the bay, the dispatch says, answered the salute in honor of the queen's saint day, and the American vessels displayed the American flag.

Advices from Havana confirm the report that General Garcia has relinquished his command and gone to Camaguey.

### Inspecting Camp Sites.

Mount Gretna, Pa., Aug. 1.—Colonel Moore, Major Heisland and Dr. Smart, government commissioners, accompanied by a party of Pennsylvania railroad officials, yesterday inspected the recent camp grounds of the Pennsylvania volunteers with a view of locating a permanent camp. The commissioners have visited a number of localities which have been suggested as suitable places for the camp of the soldiers now at Camp Alger. The latter, it is said, is considered unfit for camping purposes on account of typhoid fever prevailing there. A place near Middletown, Pa., was inspected later.

### CUBAN PROTEST.

Now It Is Viewed by an Havana Paper. Cubans Must Be Crazy.

Havana, Aug. 1.—La Lucha, speaking of the protest of the Cubans which Senor Castillo is said to be bringing to President McKinley against Spaniards being allowed to administer the laws at Santiago under the supervision of the American generals says: "One must be crazy to believe that a regular army, sent by one country to another to aid a revolution against a government legitimately constituted is to be a mere auxiliary to a force of 8,000 or 10,000 armed citizens who are not recognized by the country that sends its aid even as simple regular war elements, and which has been denied as many times as it has asked to be recognized as a belligerent. The United States has always declared that the Cuban rebels had a right to ask their independence, but it is of no use to think that a powerful and strong country which decides to dispute with its sea and land forces the sovereignty and possession of territory of another country to which the territory by property belongs, would come to Cuba to subordinate its army and general to the chief of irregular forces without military organization."

### NUEVITAS, CUBA.

Report That the Town Has Been Bombed by Americans.

Key West, Fla., Aug. 1.—Reports have reached here that Nuevitas, on the north coast of the province of Puerto Principe, Cuba, has been bombed by the Spanish by the ships of the blockading squadron, evacuated by the Spanish and subsequently burned. No details are known and the only information of the affair was that given to Captain Maynard of the gunboat Nashville by Lieutenant Colonel Rojas of the insurgent forces at Gibara. Colonel Rojas himself has the news at second hand, although he carried private dispatches from General Garcia which were delivered to the chief of irregular forces without military organization."

### MILES RECEIVES PEACE NEWS.

The news that Spain had consented to sue for peace was received here in a press dispatch and was at once taken to General Miles. The general wrinkled his grave brow when he read it and said he did not know what effect it would have on his expedition, but he purposed to push on ahead and take San Juan pending orders from the president.

The press dispatchboat carried the information out to the fleet and there was a celebration at the first indication of weakening on Spain's part.

Outside of the typhoid fever on the transports in Guanica, the general health of the army continues excellent and there has been no trace of yellow fever thus far.

General Miles will retain his headquarters at the custom house at the port of Ponce, while General Wilson will be in immediate command of the troops in the city. Captain Allison has been appointed provost marshal and with the artillery steadily in advance. By tonight he will have the entire army encamped along the military road to San Juan, but he does not say when he will put them in motion. He is acting throughout, however, with a promptness which indicates quick action all along the line as soon as the transports containing the remaining troops arrive.

### GENERAL WILSON.

The testimony points to self defense. Many thought he should have been acquitted. Commonwealth Attorney Allen in his speech admitted that the defense had proved that Watson had used the vilest language to Williams, and that there could be no doubt about his persistent annoyance of Williams in trying to induce a fight, but that the pivotal point was whether or not at the time Williams shot, Watson had laid hands on him. He contended that at least eight witnesses proved that he did not.

### EXEMPT FROM TAXES.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 1.—The council has passed an ordinance and the mayor has signed it, exempting manufacturers that locate in this city from taxes for five years.

### ONE CONSOLATION.

There is one consolation in being on the shady side of life. When a man gets to be 50 years or so and he says of a young woman, "Confound it, if I wasn't married already I'd marry the girl myself," he actually believes she would have him. This is as good as getting her, better perhaps.—Boston Transcript.

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Sale of the Philippines Urged.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—Prince Bismarck, the German statesman, died Saturday night at 11 o'clock at Friedrichsruhe.

The whole family were assembled at the bedside at the time of his death, and Dr. Schwinger, Dr. Chrysander and Baron and Baroness Merck were also present. As no breathing movement or pulse was perceptible for three minutes, Dr. Schwinger declared quietly and simply that the prince was dead.

Dr. Schwinger telegraphed the news to Emperor William in Norway.

The prince lies as he used to sleep, in an easy position, with his head slightly inclined to the left. The expression on his face is mild and peaceful. It is remarked that his head remained warm for an unusually long time.

In accordance with Prince Bismarck's wish he will be buried upon the hill opposite the castle in the vicinity of Hirschgruppe.

Several papers yesterday morning published special articles with mourning borders, expressing in feeling terms the national sorrow and dwelling on the brilliant and immortal services of the prince to the fatherland, his heroic greatness and his truly German character.

## CHARGE OF MURDER

Thomas Williams Bound Over at Lexington.

LONDON, Aug. 1.—A special dispatch from Madrid says: "Some of the leading members of the conservative party question the utility of preserving the Philippines, because of the enormous expense that a suppression of the insurrection would entail. El Nacional urges their sale."

Typhoid Fever at Camp Alger.

Washington, Aug. 1.—Twenty-two more cases of typhoid fever were removed to the post hospital at Fort Myer yesterday for treatment and 20 patients received at the First division hospital, classed as suspects in Saturday's report, with the disease which is attacking the troops at Camp Alger.

## SERIOUS ACCIDENT.

Two Young Ladies Injured By the Overturning of a Tally-ho.

Chicago, Aug. 1.—Ten young ladies were seriously injured yesterday by the overturning of a tally-ho at the foot of the Ogden avenue viaduct. Fifteen persons were riding in the vehicle bound for a day's outing at Riverside. While crossing the viaduct at Ogden avenue the horses became unmanageable and rushed down the steep incline, bringing up against the curbing. The bus was smashed to pieces but those on it miraculously escaped fatal injuries.

Soldiers' Reunion at Ladoga.

Ladoga, Ind., Aug. 1.—Great preparations are being made for the soldiers' reunion, to be held here Aug. 10 and 11. Admiral George Brown, Chaplain D. R. Lucas, Department Commander Ryan and other distinguished men will be here; also the Knights of St. John of Crayfordsville, who will give one of their best drills.

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Sketch of His Life by George Alfred Townsend.

THE MAN OF BLOOD AND IRON AT ONE TIME MASTER OF ALL EUROPE.

Rising From a Youth of Little Promise to Become a King Among Men. His Unscrupulous Yet Sincere Character—A Comparison to Cromwell—His Undaunting Spirit.

To nearly all Americans and many German-Americans the origin of such a man as Otto Edward Leopold Bismarck will be obscure even after explanation. The circumstances of German civilization are so different from British and French development that this biography must commence with some little history.

The north of Europe, in the direction of the River Elbe, a good while remained in the hands of the heathen Baltic tribes after fine nations had appeared under the French and Normans. To subdue these semi-Slavonic unbelievers crusades were sent on foot, and the warriors of the cross and of the feudal German empire were rewarded with the feudal or military lands which they took from the natives. Among these unknown warriors were the ancestors of Bismarck. He was born April 1, 1815, and might have been called among American schoolboys, therefore, an April fool.

In his boyhood Napoleon had burst from Elba and carried his banner again for 100 days almost to the North Sea. In laying low Napoleon as he passed through Germany from Russia the year previously appeared on the field as a Prussian prince, with Blücher and his elders, the long lived king whom Bismarck was to serve 40 years afterward as prime minister. Bismarck was six years younger than Gladstone and five years younger than Pope Leo XIII.



BISMARCK IN THE REICHSTAG.

The word Bismarck is an abbreviation of Bishop's Mark and refers to the bishops of Havelberg, who owned the Mark—that is the mark or line to be defended. The word is mentioned as early as 1203, or nearly 200 years before Columbus. By the river Biese stood a tower called the Bismarck-Louise, in which by tradition lived a big louse who devoured the substance of the surrounding farmers. It is now said that this myth is a reflection upon a previous legend which named the tower after the Holy Cross, the Wendish barbarians perhaps considering that this Christian emblem cost them their lands and their crops.

Bismarck's grandfather was an intellectual man, and his father resembled the chancellor. In 1806 his father married Louise Menken, who was 16, and she lived till 1832. She was the orphan daughter of a privy counselor, and her family had literary traits. Her father sympathized with the French revolution and died in 1801. Bismarck had three brothers and two sisters. He was brought up in Pomerania, about Kniephof, which estate Bismarck retained until 1868.

At 6 years of age Bismarck was sent to school in Berlin by the side of his older brother, who lived a very long life. His parents spent the winter months in Berlin. Among the first things Bismarck attended to was the study of languages, becoming especially strong in English and French. His mother was handsome and socially influential. She was a bad manager, however, and spent too much money at the summer watering places. She much desired Otto to become a diplomatist.

In 1844 from the side of this father Bismarck wrote to his sister: "I live here with father, reading, smoking, walking, helping him eat lampreys and joining in a farce called for hunting. We go out in the pouring rain or frost with three servants, surround an old bush in a sportsmanlike way, silent as the grave, and the servants make the most prodigious noise, while father stands perfectly still, his rifle out, just as he fully expected some beast. Father asks me, in the coolest manner if I have not seen something, and I reply with the most natural astonishment, 'Nothing in the world.' Then growling at the rain we start for another bush, find nothing and play the farce over again. This goes on for three or four hours without father being in the least tired."

The tall young country squire was confirmed in his church at Berlin in 1830. He was a spoiled boy and early left his father's roof. He now and then went home, taking the stage at Berlin in the evening and getting to Stettin at noon the next day, and by the third day he would reach Kniephof and have his holiday of three weeks. At school he loved the history of his native country, Brandenburg, Prussia and Germany, and his historical attainments were ever eminent. He was not very good in Latin, but departed for the University of Goettingen at 17 years of age a thin, graceful boy, quite tall.

He is said not to have been very amiable and had rather blank but observant eyes, but was determined and enduring. All persons had to approach him with consideration. He loved dogs, had a strong memory and was a first

class horseman, could swim, fence and dance, but did not like athletics.

At Goettingen one of his college mates was Motley, the American historian, who was minister at London just after Bismarck humiliated Austria. His mother refused to send him to Heidelberg because she thought he would get the detestable habit of drinking beer there. Before he left Berlin he had fought a duel with a Jew lad named Wolf and cut off Wolf's spectacles and received a wipe in the leg.

He was a jolly student and traveled through the Harz mountains on foot, and for throwing a bottle out through a window after breakfast was summoned before the faculty and came in with his enormous dog, which caused him to be fined 5 thalers. He fought about 20 duels at Goettingen and was wounded only once, showing the scar on his cheek. He is said never to have attended a lecture, rather displeased his fastidious mother, yet he passed his examination by natural gifts. He was full of hard pranks.

At 20 he was made a notary or examiner in Berlin and had much to do with getting divorces. At a court ball he met his future master and king, who was struck with his tall form and grim countenance. "Justice," said Prince William, "must seek her advocates according to their height in the guards." A favorite cousin once gave him a letter to deliver, which he forgot, and when he returned it to her in three weeks he said, "I did not deliver this in order to entirely cure my cousin of the habit of entrusting me with letters." Sometimes he would let a parcel of young foxes into the drawing room.

A man of exalted spirits, to whom the dry, common life of Prussia was insufficient, Bismarck was sure to attain distinction only in some irregular, perhaps overbearing, way. He was all the time getting ready to be a diplomatist, as his mother desired, and for that reason went to Aix-la-Chapelle, in the western section of Prussia; where there was a special court, but this was a bathing resort, and Bismarck fell in with French, Belgians and Englishmen and went with them on excursions everywhere. His first rate English made him a favorite with the young men of that nation, but he got into many scrapes and consequently had himself transferred to Potsdam, the old royal residence, an hour's ride from Berlin, where after 1838 he went into the messroom among his fellow guards.

His father's estates were falling to ruin, and he undertook to head agricultural lectures. The sons took charge of their parents' estates in order to save them from destruction. He went into the provincial diet of Pomerania at Stettin, but got tired of its monotony. As an agriculturist, however, he showed some vigor and was a rather severe employer, yet after a hard day's supervision he would get on his horse and ride 10 miles to some evening assembly in a town. He was moody at times from the want of real domestic life, and some called him "mad Bismarck."

Sometimes, tortured by dark thoughts, he would dash through the fields in solitude and again bring in a loud company and make a night of it, so that tales were told of him as if he were some haunted spirit. Sometimes he appeared to be a Liberal in politics. In this country solitude at Kniephof, near the Baltic, however, he read much in every direction—theology and philosophy as well as history. He studied Spinoza deeply, visited France and England and had a remarkable impudence with his official superiors. The old father died in 1845, and the sons divided the property, and Bismarck kept Kniephof and Schoenhause.

We must understand that Prussia had undergone a complete transformation in the early part of the present century, when she recklessly attacked Napoleon and was overrun by him in one brief campaign. He imposed upon her conditions of the hardest character. Her western provinces were absorbed in one of his experimental kingdoms, and her army was compelled to be kept at a low standard. Two remarkable men, Stein and Scharnhorst, undertook to keep these conditions and yet raise Prussia to her former military rank. They therefore compelled the whole population to be a certain period under arms, and this was the commencement of the great military system of Prussia, and Bismarck's first prominence in politics was in contending against the taxpayers who would not allow the army to be kept up to an extravagant standard at their expense, while he meditated recreating Germany by driving Austria out of it and consolidating the smaller states, which after the close of the French revolution governed the diet at Frankfort, which was somewhat like a weak congress in the United French in 1813.

Bismarck ascended the tribune to deny this. Prussia had risen, he said, not for politics, but for patriotism.

They howled at him and hissed. He defiantly took out a newspaper and began to read it until the president could restore order.

He had then a tall, gaunt stature, short hair, ruddy countenance and blond whiskers all round his jaws and very shining eyes. The Conservatives were destined of good orators. Bismarck spoke in a raw and hesitating voice.

"The men of 1813 were still living, but were 34 years—and thought they knew what they had risen for."

Bismarck went up again. "True, I did not exist in those days," he said scornfully. "I always thought, however, that the men of 1813 rose against a foreign servitude. I now learn that it lay at home. For this correction I am not by any means grateful."

The Prussian press was all Liberal. It singled Bismarck out for regular abuse. It made him.

From personal feelings he grew sour with everything democratic. He spoke often freely and learned confidence.



WITH PIPE AND MUG.

In February, 1848, only eight months afterward, broke out the revolution in Paris. In the meantime he had married and met his sovereign, who now knew his well published name.

He had a good while been a duke master, to keep the floods of the Elbe back from the fields. Now he was to keep back, if possible, revolution.

He saw the streets of Berlin carrying the Polish and every flag but the Prussian flag. April 2, the day of his thirtieth birthday, he again took his seat in the united diet.

He began to form antodemocratic clubs and found newspapers and gave forth the motto, "With God for king and our fatherland."

He gave the lie to a deputy who said that he paid his land laborers only \$10 a year.

He wrote a letter to the king, Frederick William, offering him his services and life. The king saw him often at Sans Souci palace, Potsdam, an hour's ride by rail from Berlin. He passed the revolutionary stage at Stolpe, on the Baltic. In February, 1849, his native Brandenburg region sent him to the chambers. The Royalists made gains. People of respectable antecedents could not brook the familiarity, the swagger and the perpetual threatening of a mob till 1848 had been serfdom in a phase nearly equal to that of Russia.

"No word has been more wrongly used," vociferated Bismarck, "than the word people. Everybody has held it to signify just what suited his own views, usually as a crowd of individuals whom it was necessary to persuade."

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Washington, Aug. 1.—General Miles, in command of the Porto Rican expedition, has sent the following dispatch to Secretary Alger, which is made public by the war department:

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matter by the Spanish cabinet, and also the necessity for carefully framing the rejoinder. It is not meant by this statement to question in any manner the full plenipotentiary powers of M. Cambon, the French ambassador, in dealing with the subject.

On the contrary they are in latitude wider than those usually conferred in such cases. But his position is somewhat similar to that of the president himself, who is obliged to secure the sanction of the United States senate to any treaty of peace that he may propose, for the ambassador must submit to the Madrid cabinet for its approval any agreement that he may enter into. But in the drafting of such an agreement he was fully authorized to proceed in his discretion, and to guard against any possibility of repudiation of his action he was given the minutest definition of the concessions that will be made by the Spanish government on every point that by any possibility could be expected to arise in the course of the negotiations.

### Dealing Directly With Spain.

It was not known to our government that M. Cambon had such powers when he appeared Saturday afternoon at the white house to receive the American answer, but once the president was satisfied that he was competent to deal in an authorized manner with our government, the production of his credentials was hailed with satisfaction, as tending to hasten the reaching of an agreement without loss of time and in the most direct manner, for technically the United States is now treating with Spain without the intervention of any third power.

It may be said also that M. Cambon is proceeding with straightforwardness toward his object, and that there is no fear of devious diplomacy being introduced into the negotiations.

The progress made in the negotiations has given rise in some quarters to an expectation that hostilities are to be suspended very soon. This will depend entirely upon the attitude of the Spanish government and the nature of its answer to our demands.

### To Reinforce Miles.

As an earnest that our government has not interrupted the execution of its campaigns an order was issued from the war department yesterday for the dispatch of an entire army division to reinforce Generals Miles and Brooke in Porto Rico. This will be known as the provisional division and will be commanded by Major General Wade, at present in command at Camp Thomas, Chickamauga. He is ordered to turn over to command to Major General Breckinridge, inspector general of the army, and to report to Secretary Alger in Washington for instructions before departing for Porto Rico, bringing with him his adjutant general and his aides.

The provisional division will consist of 15 full regiments and General Wade will select them, not from the troops under his command alone, but with particular reference to an equitable representation in the Porto Rican campaign of all of the states in the Union.

"Please send any national colors that can be spared to be given to the different municipalities.

"I request that the question of the tariff rate to be charged in the ports of Porto Rico occupied by our forces be submitted to the president for his action, the previous existing tariff remaining meanwhile in force.

"As to the government and military occupation, I have already given instructions based upon the instructions issued by the president in the case of the Philippine islands and similar to those issued at Santiago de Cuba."

### PEACE NEGOTIATIONS.

Spain's Answer Not Expected Until Tomorrow.

Washington, Aug. 1.—The persons best informed as to the probabilities declare that the answer of the Spanish government to the terms of peace outlined by the government of the United States is not expected before tomorrow. This opinion is based upon a knowledge of the time when the United States communication was received in Madrid, which was not until yesterday, the time required to decipher it, the necessity for an extended consideration of the

Secretary Alger feels that his department has been subjected to some unjust criticism upon the selection of troops for active service and pronounces as without foundation the allegation that politics have dictated the assignments.

In the case of the Fifth Illinois volunteer regiment, which was withdrawn from the Porto Rican expedition in favor of the Indiana regiment, it has been already explained by authority that the change was made in recognition of the justness of the complaint that Illinois already had two regiments in active service while Indiana had not one. Even in that case, however, Secretary Alger did not make the selection of the regiment to be held back, he simply instructed the general commanding the expedition to select one Illinois regiment for detention without designating it.

### NUEVITAS, CUBA.

Report That the Town Has Been Bombed by Americans.

Key West, Fla., Aug. 1.—Reports have reached here that Nuevitas, on the north coast of the province of Puerto Principe, Cuba, has been bombarded by the ships of the blockading squadron, evacuated by the Spanish and subsequently burned. No details are known and the only information of the affair was that given to Captain Maynard of the gunboat Nashville by Lieutenant Colonel Rojas of the insurgent forces at Gibara. Colonel Rojas himself has the news at second hand, although he carried private dispatches from General Garcia which were delivered to the commander of the Nashville.

The press dispatches carried the information out to the fleet and there was a celebration at the first indication of weakening on Spain's part.

Outside of the typhoid fever on the transports in Guanica, the general health of the army continues excellent and there has been no trace of yellow fever thus far.

General Miles will retain his headquarters at the custom house at the port of Ponce, while General Wilson will be in immediate command of the troops in the city. Captain Allison has been appointed provost marshal and with the aid of the local constabulary has preserved excellent order, although almost the entire population of the city remained in the streets celebrating the arrival of their American liberators until long after midnight.

General Jose Garcia, who is in command of the Spaniards regulars—not believed to number more than 500—was deserted by most of the Spanish volunteers in his command and they came straggling back to the city. They immediately presented themselves to the provost marshal and surrendered their arms.

Hunting Down Spaniards.

The appearance of the volunteers aroused in the breast of the natives who had suffered at their hands in the past, and especially the political prisoners, who were released when we took the city, a desire for revenge, and they began to ferret out all the Spaniards in the city who had ever been in the volunteer service and dragged them to the plaza.

Bloodhounds could not have been more savage. Most of the Spaniards in hiding, upon being discovered, were hauled in triumph in hooting, jeering mobs to General Wilson's headquarters or to the provost marshal's office in the municipal building. Some of the natives even began looting the residences of the Spaniards. They mistook liberty

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REPUBLICAN DISTRICT CONVENTION  
CALL.

The Republicans of the Fourth Congressional District and all those who wish to affiliate with us will meet in delegate convention in Seymour, Thursday, August 18th, 1898, at 10 o'clock a.m., for the purpose of nominating one Representative in Congress. The basis of representation will be one delegate vote for every 100 votes, and a fractional vote of over 50 cast for H. G. Thayer, for Elector at 1896 election. Following are the number of votes each county is entitled to:

Bartholomew..... 33  
Jefferson..... 35  
Brown..... 7  
Jennings..... 20  
Dearborn..... 2  
Ohio..... 7  
Decatur..... 28  
Ripley..... 27  
Jackson..... 27  
Switzerland..... 16  
Total..... 228  
Done by the order of District Committee.

THOS. McNUTT, Chairman.

Republican Township Convention.

The Republicans of Jackson county will meet in mass conventions in the several townships of the county on Saturday, August 13, 1898, at 2 o'clock p.m. for the purpose of selecting delegates and alternate delegates to the congressional convention to be held at Seymour on Thursday, August 18, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress in the Fourth congressional district. In that convention Jackson county is entitled to 27 votes, apportioned among the townships as follows: Jackson and Washington..... 10  
Redding..... 1  
Vernon..... 3  
Hamilton..... 2  
Brownstown..... 3  
Grassyfork..... 1  
Driftwood..... 2  
Carr..... 2  
Owen..... 2  
Siltcreek..... 2  
The following meeting places are designated for the several townships: Jackson and Washington..... Seymour  
Redding..... Rockford  
Vernon..... Crothersville  
Hamilton..... Cortland  
Brownstown..... Brownstown  
Grassyfork..... Tampico  
Driftwood..... Tampico  
Carr..... Medora  
Owen..... Kurtz  
Saltcreek..... Houston

The secretary of each meeting will please report promptly names of delegates and alternates to the secretary of the county committee.

Respectfully,

D. H. WATERS, Chairman

E. A. REMY, Secretary.

Republican State Convention.

The Indiana Republican State Convention will be held at Tomlinson Hall in Indianapolis on Wednesday and Thursday, August 3d and 4th, 1898. The convention will be composed of 616 delegates, and promises to be one of the most interesting and enthusiastic conventions ever held in the state.

RAILROAD RATES.

Arrangements have been made with all railroads in Indiana for a special rate of one fare for the round trip to Indianapolis from all parts of the state or Aug. 2 and 3d good returning including Aug. 5th.

**CASTORIA.**

The Kind You Have Always Bought

Pat H. Fletcher

Things are always done in a hurry in this country. If peace is declared in a few days, it will be another illustration of this fact.

The president will certainly appreciate a treaty of peace. It would mean for him a rest for the long and exceedingly heavy strain that has been upon him ever since he assumed the office.

The republican convention at Indianapolis this week will be of more than usual interest if the preceding week can be taken as an indication. The candidates and their friends are already in the city and the delegates will begin to arrive today.

On all sides there is nothing but praise for our troops, both regulars and volunteers. They have shown the same self-sacrificing spirit, the same devotion to their duty, the same heroic action under the fire of the enemy that has always been shown by American soldiers in every war in which this country has been engaged. No country on the face of the globe has so intelligent an army and one in which the personal element counts for so much as has the United States. European armies are great fighting machines, but they are lacking in that greater quality, the personal equation which is so marked a factor in our army. Our volunteers are many of them just as capable of commanding a regiment or a brigade as are the officers who are over them and in an emergency such as is liable to come to every army they know what ought to be done without waiting for officers' commands.

The death of Bismarck closes the career of the greatest statesman of modern Germany. His was the iron hand that had more than any other one to do with the consolidation of the German states into one strong imperial power. He has been closely identified with the history of Europe from the time he entered active politics half a century ago until his retirement from premiership a few years ago. In his early life he was the contemporary of Cavour and Metternich; and later he made history with Thiers, Gortchakov, Disraeli and Gladstone. As a statesman he was second only to the great English Commoner. The Inter Ocean of yesterday says of his work and methods:

"He built the German empire. He found the house of Hohenzollern weak and left it on a foundation of adamant. When he came Prussia was weak. He left it the keystone of Europe. He built a mighty empire out of unhewn fragments. He fortified it against attack by the closest alliance of which history has record. He enriched it commercially. He gave it colonies and dotted all the seas on earth with its ships. To accomplish his purpose he humbled kings and deposed princes, obliterated parties, annihilated statesmen, and crushed rivals. Not in wantonness, but with purpose, he strewed his pathway with ruins of men and nations, from those ruins he raised that splendid structure, the German empire of today. No other statesman in history cut his way so keenly, so unfalteringly, so successfully to his goal, or stopped short, with such wonderful self restraint, when that goal was won. Though the diplomatic dictator of Europe, a natural soldier, and a tempestuous fighter, he never raised his hand except to command peace once he had accomplished his purpose and united Germany."

Postoffice Receipts.

Postmaster Wilhelm reports the receipts of the Seymour postoffice for the month of July just closed at \$1042.60. For the same month last year the receipts were \$814.64, showing an increase this year over last of \$227.96.

About one month ago my child which is fifteen months old had an attack of diarrhea accompanied by vomiting. I gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gave relief, we sent for a physician and it was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations of the bowels every twelve hours, and we were convinced that unless it soon obtained relief it would not live. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy was recommended, and I decided to try it. I soon noticed a change for the better; by its continued use a complete cure was brought about and it is now perfectly healthy.—C. L. Boggs, Stump town, Gilmer Co., W. Va. For sale by C. W. Milhouse.

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FROM KEY WEST.

An Interesting Letter from A Recent Employee of the Republican.

Sunday morning an interesting letter was received by Will H. Noecker from Voss Cox who was recently employed in this office. Voss with Roy Huffman, also of Seymour, went to Louisville about 15 days ago and joined the regular army, heavy artillery. They were assigned to Battery B, 1st artillery, Key West Barracks, Key West, Fla.

In the letter from which we take the following extracts he relates some of their experiences:

"We left Louisville at 8 p.m. on Wednesday July 20, and reached Tampa about 9 o'clock on Thursday evening. There we laid over for an hour and a half and then went via Port Tampa to a steamer for Key West where we arrived after an eighteen hours' trip on Friday evening about 8 o'clock. The gulf was smooth and we did not suffer at all from seasickness, but were very tired from such a long trip.

"On Sunday, Huffman and I drew our clothing of which Uncle Sam supplies a liberal amount. We received one forage cap, one fatigue hat, one helmet, four suits of white duck, four suits of summer underwear, six pairs of stockings, six pairs of white gloves, one pair of leggings and a blue uniform. We will draw our shoes some time next week.

"The only objection I have to this place is the mosquitoes. They would pick a man up and carry him off if he did not watch himself. We are within a square of the ocean and it is not very hot as we get the sea breeze. We were placed in the awkward squad Monday and will drill with it the rest of the week. Then we will be given a gun and be taught the gun drill. We will then be ready to be soldiers for good.

Mrs. Clyde Hawkins returned Sunday to Parkersburg, W. Va. She was accompanied by Mrs. C. H. Harsh. Mrs. B. F. Johnson, who has visited her father, Edwin Blish and family returned Sunday to Wabash.

W. R. Stewart who is superintending the brick streets at Bedford, spent Sunday here with his family.

Miss Lena Willman came home Sunday night from a pleasant week's visit to Louisville friends and relatives.

Miss Anna Hancock, Kittle Marshall and Grace McCowick are home from a pleasant time spent at Brownstown.

Albert Teckemeyer and wife drove to Haw Patch Sunday morning to spend the day with her uncle, Braxton Newby.

Miss Mame Garvey, who resides in the family of Joseph Childs, came home last evening from a visit to Brownstown friends.

Frank Chandler and wife, who are visiting J. A. Forsythe and family, went last evening to North Vernon to see friends.

Mrs. William T. Wilson, of Vallonia, went Saturday night to Jeffersonville to visit her father-in-law, Benton Wilson and son and family.

Misses Emma Chapman and Minnie Campbell, of Jefferson county, after a nice time in the city with friends returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Jerrall, who waited on her mother-in-law, Mrs. Rose Jerrall, for the past six weeks, returned Sunday to Indianapolis.

Mrs. R. S. Pearick, of Quincy, Ill., came here Saturday evening to spend the summer with her son, C. B. Pearick and family of Indianapolis avenue.

Miss D. Heitshoe, of Indianapolis, and Miss Nannie Hall, of Moores Hill, who have been entertained by Mrs. Frank Bush, returned home this forenoon.

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Of Men's Nobby Suits, Tailor Made and Trimmed right up to the height of fashion at prices that defy competition. When you get a good thing push it along. Here are a few of our many good things. Men's nobby suits, satin and silk lined, right up to date, worth \$11 to \$13.50 each at \$8.98 and \$10.98. Men's nobby suits, tailor made and trimmed, worth \$10.50 to \$11.50 each at \$6.98 and \$7.98. Extra Big Values in Men's Special Bargains in Ladies' and Gent's Shoes and Slippers at the

No. 14 S. Chestnut St.

### PERSONAL

Joe Ackerman spent Sunday at Columbus.

Jerry Anderson went Sunday to Indianapolis.

Miss Ella Gaunt, of Vernon, was in the city yesterday.

Dol Kennard went Sunday to Indianapolis to see friends.

Mrs. Ben Young went Sunday to Aurora to visit her mother.

E. M. Young, of Crothersville, spent Sunday with his family here.

Edwin Blick and family were at Indianapolis Sunday visiting friends.

Fred Hows, of Indianapolis, was the guest of Miss Maggie Whitaker Sunday.

L. Foist, of Franklin, was here Saturday and went to Reddington his former home.

Miss Sadie Carter returned to Redding township today from a visit to the west.

Henry Steltenpohl, of Sauers, is growing weaker with infirmity. He is eighty-two years old.

Mrs. Sarah Congdon is home from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Nannie Six, at Gwynville.

Mrs. C. J. Leidorf came home from Dayton, O. Her visit was pleasant throughout.

W. R. Stewart who is superintending the brick streets at Bedford, spent Sunday here with his family.

Miss Lena Willman came home Sunday night from a pleasant week's visit to Louisville friends and relatives.

Miss Anna Hancock, Kittle Marshall and Grace McCowick are home from a pleasant time spent at Brownstown.

Albert Teckemeyer and wife drove to Haw Patch Sunday morning to spend the day with her uncle, Braxton Newby.

Miss Mame Garvey, who resides in the family of Joseph Childs, came home last evening from a visit to Brownstown friends.

Frank Chandler and wife, who are visiting J. A. Forsythe and family, went last evening to North Vernon to see friends.

Mrs. William T. Wilson, of Vallonia, went Saturday night to Jeffersonville to visit her father-in-law, Benton Wilson and son and family.

Misses Emma Chapman and Minnie Campbell, of Jefferson county, after a nice time in the city with friends returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Jerrall, who waited on her mother-in-law, Mrs. Rose Jerrall, for the past six weeks, returned Sunday to Indianapolis.

Mrs. R. S. Pearick, of Quincy, Ill., came here Saturday evening to spend the summer with her son, C. B. Pearick and family of Indianapolis avenue.

Miss D. Heitshoe, of Indianapolis, and Miss Nannie Hall, of Moores Hill, who have been entertained by Mrs. Frank Bush, returned home this forenoon.

A bath with COSMO BUTTERMILK SOAP, exquisitely scented, is soothng and beneficial. Sold by C. W. Milhouse.

Bargains for Music Lovers.

To locate best advertising mediums we offer through well known papers, the very "Latest Popular and Patriotic Music" at less than wholesale rates, "The Royal Blue Two Step," latest popular march, and "Dewey's Victory," greatest battle song written, both 50c pieces, sent to any address on receipt of 25c. Mention this paper, and mark envelope "Music." O. P. McCARTY, Gen'l Pass'r Agt. B. & O. S. W. Ry.

Beautiful Indian Springs Now Open for the Season.

Low rates from all points and Excursions every Sunday over the Southern Indiana railway. See ticket agent for rates, time tables and other information.

Don's Forget.

Excursions every Sunday to all points on Southern Indiana railway, including beautiful Indian Springs.

Indian Springs.

Bears the Signature of

Pat H. Fletcher

## KLONDIKE

### COUNTERFEIT MONEY

Passing of Which Causes Arrest of Lon White.

### THREE CARD MONTE MEN

Fleece a Farmer Out of \$4,000—Twelve-Year-Old Hoosier Who Has Invented a Steam Engine—Killed by Shafting. Holds on to His Police Powers—Head Brown Off.

Linton, Ind., Aug. 1.—Counterfeit bills of \$5 and \$10 have been passed here lately and the local authorities were unable to locate the counterfeiter. Deputy United States Marshal McCrea of Terre Haute came here and arrested Lon White of Marco as the man. He is held here in jail awaiting trial.

### THREE CARD MONTE

Farmer Who Thought That He Could Beat the Game.

Valparaiso, Ind., Aug. 1.—Two confidence men who were looking for farm property victimized Henry A. Stoner, one of Porter county's wealthiest farmers, out of \$4,000 Saturday afternoon by the 3-card monte game. Stoner, on finding that he had been swindled, gave chase and overhauled the robbers. They gave him back a tin box filled with gold and greenbacks and then fled. He counted the contents and found it amounted to \$2,200. Officers and farmers are riding the country over, but the men are still at liberty. Stoner

BETTER  
THAN  
EVER.

# North Vernon Fair, Aug. 2, 3, 4, 5, '98. NEW ATTRACTIONS

Best Fair in Southern Indiana. Half fare on all Railroads. Better Purses, Finer Displays and Exciting Races.  
DON'T FAIL TO GO!

## BUSINESS NOTES.

C. M. Ingram left Sunday for New York on bus' n' ss.

A business house here will likely change hands in a few days.

D. M. Dowling and wife are here from Greensburg on business.

A. D. Eldridge shipped a car of eggs to New York Saturday night.

Charles Deal and wife, of Kuriz, made a business trip to Cincinnati Saturday.

August Graf, of Spraytown, sold a good mule here to J. B. Able Saturday evening.

Richard Maden, of Peters Switch, has 30 acres of fine oats this year as he ever raised.

Samuel Jones, of Seymour, has a solid position in the Malleable Iron Works at Indianapolis.

Hon. S. A. Barnes, who has been in the city on business returned last evening to North Vernon.

W. D. Bohall, of the county seat, favored the REPUBLICAN with a business visit Saturday evening.

The Bish Milling Company will ship 5,000 barrels of their finest flour to Glasgow, Scotland, tomorrow and Wednesday.

Mrs. Clark Moore and daughters Lydia and Nora went Saturday evening to Indianapolis to take a position in a pants factory and if they like it will move there.

Stolen Horse Recovered.

About four o'clock last Friday afternoon a stranger hired a horse and buggy of R. M. Gilbert of Jeffersonville drove it to about two miles south of Brownstown where he turned it into a field and abandoned it. Mr. Gilbert wired night policeman Hopewell who recovered the horse and buggy and brought them here this morning.

## BORN.

A daughter was born to Andy Frey and wife of Washington township Friday July 29, 1898.

A son was born to C. M. Carr and wife Sunday July 31 1898.

## COURT NOTES.

Mollie Durrich, who was fined, costed and imprisoned by Judge Hoover on assaulting and battering Mrs. Jane Combs with a hammer, was released from prison Saturday night by putting up a diamond ring for fine and costs.

## Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our thanks to our neighbors, friends and relatives who assisted and comforted us during the sickness, death and burial of our dear son J. H. Forest and to assure them they will be ever held in memory by

Mr. and Mrs. CHRIS RAU

Mrs. V. H. Monroe, of Rockford, was still alive this morning with a possible hope of recovery.

## Advertisement Letters.

The following is the list of letters remaining in the postoffice at this place and if not called for within 14 days will be sent to the dead letter office:

## LADIES GENT.

Bruch Grace Miss Forman W. H.

Butler Florence Miss

Decros Bertie Miss

Guffie Carlin Mrs

Vance Belle Mrs

PHILIP WILHELM, P. M.

Excursions Every Sunday  
To all stations on the Southern Indiana railway.

Get prices on shoes at Ross' clearance sale.

## Awarded

Highest Honors—World's Fair, Gold Medal, Midwinter Fair.

DR.

**PRICE'S**  
CREAM  
BAKING  
POWDER

A Pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder.  
40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

It will pay you to lay in a stock of shoes at Ross' clearance sale.

The funerals of Conrad Heintz and the Chris Rau babe were largely attended Sunday afternoon.



## EXPECT PEACE.

## BOTH PRESIDENT AND CABINET CONFIDENT.

Porto Rico Helpless Before General Miles—Spaniards May Surrender at San Juan—Reinforcements for Miles.

Both the President and M. Cambon are confident that there will be an early termination of the war, but there remains the chance that Madrid's answer may disappoint them.



Many of the political prisoners upon their release began to foment trouble by attacking those who caused their arrest, but they were promptly held in check by the Americans.



Capt G. N. Machias, of Porto Rico, evidently realizes the helplessness of his position and the certainty of the destruction of his small army when the Americans approach San Juan. He admits that there is some talk of surrender though the Spanish troops have sworn to fight to the end.



An order has been issued for the sending of an additional entire army division of 15,000 men to re-enforce Gens. Miles and Brooks in Porto Rico.

## Remarkable Recovery.

Mrs. Michail Curtain, Elginfield, Ill., makes the statement that she caught cold, which settled on her lungs; she was treated for a month by her family physician, but grew worse. He told her she was a hopeless victim of consumption and that no medicine could cure her. Her druggist suggested Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption; she bought a bottle and to her delight found herself benefitted from first dose. She continued its use and after taking six bottles, found herself sound and well; now does her own housework and as well as she ever was. Free trial bottles of this Great Discovery at W. F. Peter's drug store. Large bottles 50 cents and \$1.00.

## The Best Remedy for Flux.

Mr. John Mathias, a well known stock dealer of Pulaski, Ky., says: After suffering for over a week with flux and my physician having failed to relieve me, I was advised to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and I have the pleasure of stating that the half of one bottle cured me. For sale by C. W. Milhouse.

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## Cleveland's BAKING POWDER.

All leading teachers of cookery use it.

## RAILROAD RUMBLINGS

J. A. Watkins, of the B. & E. line, spent Sunday here.

Engineer John Lehman who has had a lay off for rest went west on the flyer this morning.

J. P. Honan, of the B. & O. S. W. depot, sold ninety-three excursion tickets to Cincinnati yesterday.

H. F. Robinson, George Rau and Joe Riley, of the J. M. & I. bridge force, spent Sunday at home here.

Philip Reddinger and J. S. Clark, of the steel gang, of the Southern Indiana, spent Sunday at their homes here.

Dispatcher John C. Haggerty, of Washington, went to Cincinnati last evening on business and to visit his family who is still there.

## ROBBED THE GRAVE

A startling incident, of which Mr. John Oliver, of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain in back and sides

no appetite, gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying Electric Bitters and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and now am a well man. I know they saved my life and robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents per bottle at W. F. Peter's drug store.

## CLEARANCE SALE SHOES.

All colored shoes, lowcut shoes, broken lots, etc. Ladies, Gent's, Boy's, Misses' and Children's colored shoes.

Any \$5.00 colored shoe.....\$4.00

Any 4.00 " " 3.00

Any 3.00 " " 2.48

Any 2.50 " " 2.00

Any 2.00 " " 1.60

Any 2.50 Oxford.....2.00

Any 2.00 " " 1.50

Any 1.25 " " 1.00

Any 1.00 " " 75

Any 74 " " 55

Jno. A. Ross, Opposite Postoffice.

## Many People Cannot Drink

Coffee at night. It spoils their sleep. You can drink Grain-O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain-O does not stimulate; it nourishes, cheers and feeds. Yet it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children, Grain-O is the perfect drink. Made from pure grains. Get a package from your grocer to try it in place of coffee. 15 and 10.

We have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home for many years and bear cheerful testimony to its value as a medicine which should be in every family. In coughs and colds we have found it to be efficacious and in croup and whooping cough in children we deem it indispensable—H. P. Ritter 9126 Fairfax ave., St. Louis' Mo. For sale by C. W. Milhouse.

## STOLEN SWEETS

"STOLEN SWEETS" the sweetest and

most lasting perfume we have yet offered.

OUR SODA FOUNTAIN is singing its merry song day and night.

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## GOX'S PHARMACY

MARIE OVERMYER-BURKART,

Shorthand Notary Public.

POSITIONS AND TYPED LETTERS.

# THE DEAD BISMARCK.

## A NOTABLE CAREER.

Sketch of His Life by George Alfred Townsend.

### THE MAN OF BLOOD AND IRON AT ONE TIME MASTER OF ALL EUROPE.

Rising From a Youth of Little Promise to Become a King Among Men. His Unscrupulous Yet Sincere Character—A Comparison to Cromwell—His Unshining Spirit.

To nearly all Americans and many German-Americans the origin of such a man as Otto Edward Leopold Bismarck will be obscure even after explanation. The circumstances of German civilization are so different from British and French development that this biography must commence with some little history.

The north of Europe, in the direction of the River Elbe, a good while remained in the hands of the heathen Baltic tribes after nine nations had appeared under the French and Normans. To subdue these semi-Slavonic unbelievers crusades were sent on foot, and the warriors of the cross and of the feudal German empire were rewarded with the feudal or military lands which they took from the natives. Among these unknown warriors were the ancestors of Bismarck. He was born April 1, 1815, and might have been called among American schoolboys, therefore, an April fool.

In his boyhood Napoleon had burst from Elba and carried his banner again for 100 days almost to the North sea. In laying low Napoleon as he passed through Germany from Russia the year previously appeared on the field as a Prussian prince, with Blucher and his elders, the long lived king whom Bismarck was to serve 40 years afterward as prime minister. Bismarck was six years younger than Gladstone and five years younger than Pope Leo XIII.



BISMARCK IN THE REICHSTAG.

The word Bismarck is an abbreviation of Bishop's Mark and refers to the bishops of Havelberg, who owned the Mark—that is, the church or line to be defended. The word is mentioned as early as 1203, or nearly 300 years before Columbus. By the river Biese stood a tower called the Bismarck-tower, in which by tradition lived a big louse who devoured the substance of the surrounding farmers. It is now said that this myth is a reflection upon a previous legend which named the tower after the Holy Cross, the Wendish barbarians perhaps considering that the Christian emblem cost them their lands and their crops.

Bismarck's grandfather was an intellectual man and his father resembled the chancellor. In 1806 his father married Louise Menken, who was 16, and lived till 1839. She was the orphan daughter of a privy counselor, and her family had literary traits. Her father sympathized with the French revolution and died in 1801. Bismarck had three brothers and two sisters. He was brought up in Pomerania, about Kniephof, which estate Bismarck retained until 1868.

At 6 years of age Bismarck was sent to school in Berlin by the side of his soldier brother, who lived a very long life. His parents spent the winter months in Berlin. Among the first things Bismarck attended to was the study of languages, becoming especially strong in English and French. His mother was handsome and socially influential. She was a bad manager, however, and spent too much money at the summer watering places. She much desired Otto to become a diplomatist.

In 1844 from the side of this father Bismarck wrote to his sister: "I live here with father, reading, smoking, walking, helping him eat lampreys and joining in a farce called fox hunting. We go out in the pouring rain or frost with three servants, surround an old bush in a sportsmanlike way, silent as the grave, and the servants make the most prodigious noise, while father stands perfectly stock still, his rifle out, just as if he fully expected some beast. Father asks me in the coolest manner if I have not seen something, and I reply with the most natural astonishment, 'Nothing in the world.' Then growling at the rain we start for another bush, find nothing and play the farce over again. This goes on for three or four hours without father being in the least tired."

The tall young country squire was confirmed in his church at Berlin in 1830. He was a spoiled boy and early left his father's roof. He now and then went home, taking the stage at Stettin in the evening and getting to Stettin at noon the next day, and by the third day he would reach Kniephof and have his holiday of three weeks. At school he loved the history of his native country, Brandenburg, Prussia and Germany, and his historical attainments were ever eminent. He was not very good in Latin, but departed for the University of Goettingen at 17 years of age a thin, graceful boy, quite tall.

He is said not to have been very amiable and had rather blank but observant eyes, but was determined and enduring. All persons had to approach him with consideration. He loved dogs, had a strong memory and was a first

class horseman, could swim, fence and dance, but did not like athletics.

At Goettingen one of his college mates was Motley, the American historian, who was minister at London just after Bismarck humiliated Austria. His mother refused to send him to Heidelberg because she thought he would get the detestable habit of drinking beer there. Before he left Berlin he had fought a duel with a Jew lad named Wolf and cut off Wolf's spectacles and received a wound in the leg.

He was a jolly student and traveled through the Harz mountains on foot, and for throwing a bottle out through a window after breakfast was summoned before the faculty and came in with his enormous dog, which caused him to be fined 5 thalers. He fought about 20 duels at Goettingen and was wounded only once, showing the scar on his cheek. He is said never to have attended a lecture, rather dispensed his fastidious mother, yet he passed his examination by natural gifts. He was full of hard pranks.

At 20 he was made a notary or examiner in Berlin and had much to do with getting divorces. At a court ball he met his future master and king, who was struck with his tall form and grim countenance. "Justice," said Prince William, "must seek her advocates according to their height in the guards." A favorite cousin once gave him a letter to deliver, which he forgot, and when he returned it to her in three weeks he said, "I did not deliver this in order to entirely cure my cousin of the habit of intrusting me with letters." Sometimes he would let a parcel of young foxes into the drawing room.

A man of educated spirits, to whom the dry, common life of Prussia was insufficient, Bismarck was sure to attain distinction only in some irregular, perhaps overbearing, way. He was all the time getting ready to be a diplomatist, as his mother desired, and for that reason went to Aix-la-Chapelle, in the western section of Prussia, where there was a special court, but this was a bathing resort, and Bismarck fell in with French, Belgians and Englishmen and went with them on excursions everywhere. His first rate English made him a favorite with the young men of that nation, and he got into many scrapes and consequently had himself transferred to Potsdam, the old royal residence, an hour's ride from Berlin, where after 1838 he went into the messroom among his fellow guards.

His father's estates were failing to ruin, and he undertook to hear agricultural lectures. The sons took charge of their parents' estates in order to save them from destruction. He went into the provincial diet of Pomerania at Stettin, but got tired of its monotony. As an agriculturist, however, he showed some vigor and was a rather severe employer, yet after a hard day's supervision he would get on his horse and ride 10 miles to some evening assembly in a town. He was moody at times from the want of real domestic life, and some called him "mad Bismarck."

Sometimes, tortured by dark thoughts, he would dash through the fields in solitude and again find in a loud company and make a night of it, so that tales were told of him as if he were some haunted spirit. Sometimes he appeared to be a Liberal in politics. In this country solitude at Kniephof, near the Baltic, however, he read much in every direction—theology and philosophy as well as history. He studied Spinoza deeply, visited France and England and had a remarkable impudence with his official superiors. The old father died in 1845, and the sons divided the property, and Bismarck kept Kniephof and Schoenhausen.

We must understand that Prussia had undergone a complete transformation in the early part of the present century, when she recklessly attacked Napoleon and was overrun by him in one brief campaign. He imposed upon her conditions of the hardest character. Her western provinces were absorbed in one of his experimental kingdoms, and her voice was heard in the provincial diet of Pomerania, and was one of the great military system of Prussia, and Bismarck's first prominence in politics was in contending against the taxpayers who would not allow the army to be kept up to an extravagant standard at their expense, while he meditated recreating Germany by driving Austria out of it and consolidating the smaller states, which after the close of the French revolution governed the diet at Frankfort, which was somewhat like a weak congress in the United States.

In short, throughout Germany, until Bismarck reformed it, there was something like state rights, with a diet or congress at Frankfort, in which Austria and Prussia were the two great rivals, to be compared to Virginia and New York in the story of the United States.

It may also be explained that Germany was peculiar among the nations of Europe after the conquest of the Roman empire by the Germans whose different tribes and leaders formed nearly every kingdom in Europe. France pulled away from the empire of Charlemagne and left Germany to become the representative of the old Roman empire. The German emperors were also called kings of Rome and after being elected in a peculiar way generally went to Rome at their convenience to be crowned by the pope.

Thus a mixed military and spiritual empire existed north of the Alps until the time of Luther, when the minor princes, feeling the popular inspiration against so much Italian interference in Germany, went into revolt. Prussia was the especial country of Luther and remained Protestant and was not much affected, like other parts of Germany and all France, by the Calvinistic second reformation.

A rather compact church was formed in Germany, something like the Established church of England, and this accounts for the Lutheran priests everywhere having such close control over their congregations and schools. Luther is regarded in Germany as the founder of the literature, the common language and the popular common sense and independence of the land. Of all these things, in a certain way, Bismarck was the old Tory representative, just as in England the ultra-advocates of the crown were sticklers for the crown's religion.

It was Bismarck's work to drive Austria, the preponderating state, entirely out of Germany and make Prussia the new and only Austria, and to absorb several of the states offensively partisan for Austria, and to reconstitute Germany as she now stands, with Bavaria, Saxony, Baden, etc., accessory but obedient kingdoms, all under the same military autonomy.

He used to involve and assail Austria, the popular hostility to him in Denmark, a German fraternity, and were trying to abolish the German language in the laws and university. The little German states made a great outcry at this, and the two big German states had to rally each other in going to Schleswig-Holstein's assistance.

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